

IN RECOGNITION OF “VIVIEN COE RICHARD”

WHEREAS, Mrs. Vivien Coe Richard, National President of Top Ladies of Distinction, Incorporated, an international humanitarian and educational organization, founded in Tyler, Texas in 1964, which was the result of a meeting with Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson shortly after he assumed the presidency of the United States; and

WHEREAS, This organization has a membership of more than 5,000 members and 100 chapters. Since it's inception these distinguished women have been nurturing and supporting youth and senior citizens throughout America and abroad; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Richard was elected to the office of president for this distinguished international and humanitarian organization during the national convention in 1999; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Richard's responsibilities include proving guidance during the development, implementation, and evaluation of programs that will insure that the purposes of the organization are achieved in an efficient manner in all the chapters.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bob Young, Mayor of the City of Augusta, do hereby proclaim March 14, 2003 to be “VIVIEN COE RICHARD DAY” in Augusta, Georgia, and encourage citizens to participate in this observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, Georgia to be affixed this 14th day of March 2003.